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More People

The State's Great Need.

We are glad to note that the state press is practically unanimous for some legislative plan that will result in getting more people into Florida. In its last issue, the Apalachicola Times contains the following on the subject of advertising and immigration:

A news item tells us that the state of Washington will spend \$150,000 a year for several years to come, in advertising the resources of that wonderful state filled with energetic men who do things. The legislature will appropriate this money and think it money well spent, although there may be some men who vamp "it don't pay to advertise." Advertising has peopled the valleys and hills of California with rich and poor, the successful and the miserably poor, and it made orange culture profitable in that state bringing the crop in competition with the golden hued fruit of Florida.

When the value of immigration is so clear; when the experience of other states is so plain, there ought to be no reason why Florida should hesitate to spend money for the same thing that has made the Pacific coast and the great northwest the richest agricultural sections in the world. Florida has the advantage of any other state in the union, in climate, agricultural resources, and possibilities of development, and Florida could lead them all if we only had a sufficient number of people.

The legislature should devote more time to that one subject than to any other which comes before it—but it won't.

The Chipley Verdict runs this motto at the top of its first page: "Washington County is the Banner County of West Florida; West Florida is the Best Section of the State." That is the right spirit and if every county in West Florida would exhibit it, the world would soon know that West Florida is on the map.

A Gulf Coast

Steamship Line.

The following from the Tampa Tribune contains a proposition whose value to the Gulf coast is so self-evident that it needs no demonstration. The Tribune says:

Since the publication of the opinion of R. Mugs, former member of the board of public works, urging the advisability of the formation of a \$1,000,000 stock company for the purpose of operating steamship lines from Tampa to Key West and Cuba, from this port to the harbors along the Gulf coast, and to certain ports along the Atlantic seaboard, together with the reasons such an incorporation would pay, much comment of favorable nature has been heard through the city sanctioning the suggestion.

Mr. Mugs, as is his wont, went into the meat of the matter in the beginning, showing that vessels plying from Tampa to the various harbors would redound to the benefit of the cities thus connected, the intermediate territory, and the people concerned in the company. Lucidly he showed also that the plan would meet with hearty co-operation from the railroads, and that instead of bringing to the city full cars and returning with empty ones, the merchandise brought in by the vessels would find its way into the cars and would have this mode of departure from Tampa. Mr. Mugs in his communication declared that \$400,000 of this amount should be subscribed by people in Tampa, \$400,000 by people in New Orleans and \$200,000 from other south Florida towns.

A Tribune man, thinking the suggestions in this communication of an excellent, progressive and energetic nature, interviewed a number of citizens. Not one was heard to express an opinion adverse to the idea. Now it remains only for Mr. Mugs and other public-spirited citizen to get together upon the project. Such an idea was advanced by Mr. Mugs and such should be carried out. It could result in no otherwise than for the good of this city and the good of all place touched by the million dollar company.

The value of such a line to Pensacola is inestimable. A steamer service from New Orleans along the coast and to Havana would prove not

only a paying investment for its promoters, but it would give the Gulf coast cities—and Pensacola in particular—something in the way of freight rates which will never come until a line of that kind is established.

A Closer View of Senator Tillman.

No man in public life has attracted more attention during recent years or been more severely criticised than Senator Ben. R. Tillman, of South Carolina, and, while he is undoubtedly right in many of his beliefs, he has had but few defenders among the press. The Mobile Register finds much to commend in the fiery South Carolinian and has the following, in a recent issue, regarding him:

Preconceived ideas of the men who are making history, thought and interest in our own time have to be revised when one comes into contact with the men themselves. No man in the United States has been more harshly regarded within the past decade than has Senator Tillman, of South Carolina. He has often been violent in speech and action, and the public has been no less violent in its judgment of the man. That Senator Tillman has kept his hands clean throughout his entire public career, in so far as any taint of graft is concerned, is admitted even by his numerous enemies. That he is absolutely sincere is no less apparent to those who know him.

Honesty and sincerity are the two strong points on which any claim to greatness must be based. For many of his views are unsound and many of his expressions abominable.

Intense in his sectionalism, he proclaims that the spirit of sectional hate is dead at the north. A loyal democrat, he expresses the hope that the time may soon come when the white people of the south, though divided in national politics, may walk in honor and peace. Severe in his denunciation of the negro in his present attitude toward the white race, brought about by a political blunder, he has no hatred for the negro, as a race, but only for the negro as a political enemy. And while demanding honesty in the expenditure of public measures he will vote and work for any measure which will secure appropriations for expenditure south of the Mason and Dixon line.

With these apparent contradictions Senator Tillman is warm, true and sympathetic in his friendships; distant, severe and unforgiving in his hatred. A peculiar character, worthy of study, and, in a measure, of emulation.

Like the evangelist Sam Jones, he is seen at his worst in his imitations. The shadow which he casts across the nation is distorted. It is not a silhouette of the real man. At Citronelle on Saturday night, Mr. Tillman delivered a characteristic address on the race question, which was reported at some length in the Register of Sunday morning, and to one who heard him speak, the fact is noticeable that the printed words seem much more severe than they sound in the speaking. The man gives little heed to what anyone may think of his remarks, but those who hear him feel that he has no intention to wound their feelings, but to speak his mind and have done with it.

Though his words at Citronelle were addressed to the many northern people in the audience, and to use his own expression, he "rubbed it in," no offense was expressed by anyone. It was noticed at Citronelle that Senator Tillman did not mention President Roosevelt. This may have been merely an oversight, it may have been due to the fact that his time was limited and he did not care to introduce a subject to which he could not do justice in a few words, and it may have been design. The senator neither loves nor admires the president, and in conversation does not hesitate to express his dislike very strongly. The president revoked an invitation to attend a public function at the White House shortly after Senator Tillman struck a colleague in the senate for an offensive epithet, an incident which created much comment at the time and the Carolinian has not forgotten nor forgiven the slur.

In his advocacy of the repeal of the fifteenth amendment to the national constitution, Mr. Tillman does not hold out the hope that this may be accomplished within the term of his life, or within this generation, but he holds that to reverse the verdict of the Civil War is worth the effort, no matter how long it may take to accomplish it. In this he differs from those who are rid-

ing the same hobby in various southern states as a means to their own election of office, and who imply, if they do not say, that the entire issue hinges on their election.

There will be an effort made to have Senator Tillman speak at Mobile before he goes on his vacation to the west early in June. If he does come to this city it is safe to say that he will not speak on the race question, as it is his avowed policy to "take the gospel to the sinners." On any other national issue the "pitchfork senator" would be heard here with pleasure by many of those who would know how to give credit and made discounts.

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TIED OF BEING
CALLED A LIAR.
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The editor of an Indiana paper grew tired of being called a liar, so he announced that he would tell the truth in the future. The first issue contained the following:
John Bonin, the laziest merchant in town made a trip to Bellville yesterday.

John Coyle, our grocerman, is doing a poor business. His store is dirty and dusty. How can he do much?

Rev. Styx preached last Sunday night on charity. The sermon was punk.

Dave Sonkey died at his home in this place. The doctor gave it out as heart failure. Whiskey killed him.

Married—Miss Sylvia Rhodes and James Conlin, last Saturday at the Baptist Parsonage. The bride is a very ordinary town girl who doesn't know any more about cooking than a jack-rabbit does, and never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by any means, and has a gait like a duck. The groom is an up-to-date loafer. He's been living off the old folks all his life, and is not worth shucks. It will be a hard life.

The paper had no sooner reached the public than a committee was sent to him bearing a petition asking him to continue in the good old way and stating that they believed him to be a truthful, honest man.

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NEWS AND VIEWS
FROM STATE PRESS.
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Lobbyists are Lonely.

Major Healy and Pat Murphy were like Robinson Crusoe and Man Friday on the island before the savages came back—so lonely.—Monticello News.

Elect Judges by Direct Vote.

The Alabama state legislature passed a two and a half cent passenger rate bill recently in that state. However, the roads appealed at once to the United States court and secured a temporary injunction of the rate. That is the way it goes.

Prominent railroad lawyers secure places on the United States courts and these grant injunction to the railroads applying for them on almost any old flimsy excuse. We will never get this thing in good shape until we have these judges elected by the people with short terms of office. There is nothing that will make a public official give attention to the interests of the general public so much as when he knows that that same public will soon have an opportunity to put him out if he does not serve them fairly. Congressman Lamar has introduced a bill in congress along this line and it certainly ought to become a law.—Madison Recorder.

Broome of Gadsden.

Things started right off when, as soon as the senate was organized, the great and only Broome, of Gadsden, stepped into the arena, shied his castor in the ring (what the deuce does that mean?) and began to electrify an enchanted audience of senators, ladies and other folks with a few priceless pearls of his unlimited store of eloquence—touching light on the "dark days of reconstruction" and sounding spiritedly the "tocsin of war." When Broome shakes his lionine mane and gets his right combination of face-gestures and chest tones, look out for something to bubble from the original bung of oratory! It's going to bubble or bust. What would we do without Jim Broome? He's a sure enough, old-time southern gentleman, and we all love him.—Monticello News.

Raising Hogs in Jackson.

People in Jackson county are paying more attention to the raising of hogs and it is not an unusual thing to see a wagon full of meat being brought in for sale. This is a move in the right direction. Old Jackson is not only the best county in the state, but it is one of the best in the United States.—Marianna Times-Courier.

NEW COMPANY TO RAISE TOBACCO

Chipley, Apr. 8.—A new stock company has lately been incorporated at Chattahoochee under the name of The Steel City Land and Improvement Co., with offices at Steel City and Chattahoochee. Mr. C. West is president. Mr. J. W. Hinson, vice-president. Mr. J. R. Shoemaker, treasurer, and W. B. Mathias, secretary. The company has purchased 1,280 acres of land in Jackson county, near Steel City and will experiment in raising of shade tobacco and vegetables.

First License Held Up.

Asbury Park, Apr. 8.—The injunction against the owners of the Plaza Hotel, Asbury Park, restraining them from selling liquor under the license granted recently by the Excise Commission will be argued in the Supreme Court to-morrow. The injunction is to operate until a rule for a permanent injunction is issued.

Pabst Blue Ribbon Beer is a pure food—rich in the nutriment of malt and the invigorating properties of choicest hops. Drink it at meals or between meals.

Current Comment from Mr. Bryan's Commoner.

Mr. Rockefeller says he is in favor of federal control. Or by?

A man must be awfully ignorant to know less than some "expert witnesses."

The railroads continue to contribute to the vital statistics.

Mr. Rockefeller says the people ought to save more than they do. What's the use?

When will the railroad presidents carry out their threat of abolishing the states?

It seems that graft circles in San Francisco offered no good place for a mollycoddle.

The fall in the price of stocks never seems to affect the price of meat and potatoes.

San Francisco's "graft" exposure is shaking up the city worse than the earthquake did.

Senator Cullom says Mr. Harriman ought to be in jail. Becoming well nigh unanimous, eh?

Chicago's all night bank has been closed. The streets of Chicago are bad places to save money at night.

News dispatches indicate that Mr. Harriman would do well to prepare for a Stuyvesant Fish come back.

Don't know what "brain storm" means? Why, just look at the comic supplement of the daily newspapers.

A few more pervasions of the "unwritten law" and somebody will write it with needed amendments.

The Porto Rican assembly has appropriated \$150,000 for a capitol building. Pennsylvania thinks it a great joke.

Having emerged from the tall timber with safety, Senator Depew declares that he is in favor of forest reservations.

"Harriman has been dethroned," exclaims a hysterical contemporary. Dethroned, nothing. He has merely been spanked.

We just knew if those South American revolutionists kept on evolving long enough one of two of them would get hurt.

They are explaining that Chicago sub-treasury theft by saying that a clerk hid it in a fit of mental aberration and cannot now locate the spot. A penitentiary sentence might produce a brain storm that would result beneficially to Uncle Sam.

The news that a negro has won a Rhodes scholarship in Pennsylvania may be claimed by Senator Foraker as a vindication.

A republican organ in Pennsylvania must have an iron nerve to hold or "graft" in San Francisco.

United States Treasurer Tread says there is now \$1,600,000,000 of gold in this country. Funny where the possessors keep it hid.

If it is true that souls can be weighed the scalesmakers will have to make some improvements before they can meet at requirements.

The report that the Sultan of Turkey is a skilled chess player may explain why it is so difficult to make him move when it is his turn.

Wall street is talking about the

Nervous Indigestion

The action of digestion is controlled by nerves leading to the stomach. When they are weak, the stomach is deprived of its energy. It has no power to do its work. If you want permanent relief, you must restore this energy. Dr. Miles' Nervine restores nervous energy, and gives the organs power to perform their functions.

"For many years I was an acute sufferer from nervous indigestion; at times I was so despondent life seemed almost a burden. I tried all kinds of remedies and various physicians with little or no relief until one night last summer I saw Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure advertised. I resolved to make one more trial which I did in the purchase of one bottle of Nervine and one of Heart Cure. In a few days I began to feel better, which encouraged me so much that I continued the medicine until I had taken more than a dozen bottles. I am very much improved in every way; in body, mind and spirit since. I make a special point to recommend the medicine, and I feel a sincere pleasure in knowing that several persons have been benefited through my recommendations."

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

"storm it has just weathered." Storm? We didn't see even a cloud out in the grain and grass country.

The comet slated to hit the earth in a week or two may change its mind when it comes near enough to get a glimpse of the "big stick."

The railroads will experience difficulty in postponing the digging of the canal if they must trust to hiring all the army away from the work.

The news of the imprisonment of a coal trust magnate in Omaha would be more interesting just at this time if it happened to be the ice-man.

It seems strange to men of the Harriman type that the people should be angry after learning how thoroughly they had been bilked by the railroads.

Pittsburg was almost submerged by a river flood a week or two ago. It must have made the old town feel funny to wake up with a washed face.

Wanted.—The average man to inquire what benefit he derives from the trusts or from a tariff on goods which are sold abroad cheaper than at home.

Probably the railroad presidents decided not to visit the White House because they saw a green flag flying, indicating a second section of "reform" following.

The New Jersey man who laughed eight hours without stopping probably heard some republican spring that old joke about the tariff being revised by its friends.

The managers of the Sage fund for the relief of poverty announce that they deal with only hard facts. And poverty is the hardest fact they will meet, too.

Two New York men tell a weird story of battling for their lives against a thousand rats. They ought to have asked the Typographical Union for a few pointers.

Mr. Jerome's 15,000 word hypothetical question is about the same length as the explanation of the republican who tries to tell us why the tariff should not be revised.

Senator Cullom wants to jail Mr. Harriman. If Uncle Shelby lives long enough he may yet be able to get over on the side of the people on a few other questions.

James J. Hill says he is willing to sell his railroads, watered stocks and all, to the government. Is Mr. Hill mindful of the fact that since Uncle Sam purchased the Philippines he tests all of his gold brick offerings with acid?

Mr. Depew says there is only one man in sight for the presidency, and his name is Roosevelt. Up to date, however, the Roosevelt Third Term League headquarters in Chicago, has not used the Depew statement for advertising purposes.

The Atlanta Journal says that all it takes to organize a railroad these days is a roller top desk in New York office and a little nerve. That's only two-thirds of the requirements, however. There must be a hydrant somewhere near at hand.

NIGHT RIDERS IN KENTUCKY

Great Excitement Caused by Destruction of Tobacco Plants by Miscreants.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Apr. 8.—The resumption of wholesale plant destruction through the dark tobacco district of Kentucky and Tennessee by night riders has again thrown that section into a state of excitement. The night riders, acting always under cover of the darkness and in a most stealthy manner, have recently ruined dozens of plant-beds belonging to those farmers who have refused to join the Planter's Protective Association, while in some instances plant-beds belonging to association members have also been devastated. Last year the destruction of plant-beds was accomplished by scraping the beds with hoes, but this time the marauders used grass seed salt to accomplish their end. Grass seed germinate much more quickly and grow faster and more importantly and luxuriantly than tobacco plants, and soon choke out the plants, thus destroying the prospects for a crop. Salt kills the plants in short order. In Tennessee a bill was recently introduced before the legislature which makes it a felony to destroy tobacco plant-beds or otherwise interfere with a farmer's growing crops. Up to this time the worst that could be made out of a prosecution for such acts is a misdemeanor, and the bill was introduced to give protection to farmers who were being mistreated. In Kentucky it is also a misdemeanor.

Congress of Students.

Paris, Apr. 8.—A congress of students from all parts of the republic will be inaugurated here May 3. Min-

Without Alcohol

A Strong Tonic	Without Alcohol
A Body Builder	Without Alcohol
A Blood Purifier	Without Alcohol
A Great Alternative	Without Alcohol
A Doctor's Medicine	Without Alcohol
Ayer's Sarsaparilla	Without Alcohol

We have no secrets! We publish the formula of all our preparations.
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The Greatest All-Star Cast
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Company Orchestra
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Prices—50 cents to \$1.50. Late trains.

Hearts and Diamonds

III-Act Comedy.
Will be presented at the opera house April 12th, in the interest of United Charities.
Some of the best talent in the city will participate.
A large and comely cast—11 besides the dog.

MISS BEATRICE Z. WHITE

DIRECTOR.
ister of Education Briand will be the presiding officer.

SEVERE STORM AT ANDALUSIA, ALA.

Special to The Journal.
Andalusia, Ala., Apr. 8.—A severe rain storm struck this place last night accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning. The lightning struck Louis Linder's house, about a mile from here, killed him instantly, and set the house on fire. His wife and child, who were in the same bed were not injured.

QUIET WEDDING AT CARYVILLE

Special to The Journal.
Caryville, Apr. 8.—John A. Spencer and Miss Beulah Tisdale were married last Saturday evening at the residence of our fellow townsman, C. R. White. Rev. Mr. Peacock, Baptist minister, officiating. There was no display and but few invited friends attended.

Mr. Spencer and his bride were the happy recipients of many beautiful presents, among which was a set of china given by the boys at the big planing mill of the Geo. E. Wood Lumber Co., of which Mr. Spencer is boss.

The people of Caryville extend to this young couple hearty congratulations and wish them success as they journey through life.

NOTICE.

The cemetery committee of St. John's Cemetery are estimating the cost of extending the mains of the water company and putting city water into the cemetery. All lot owners who desire to use city water there and are willing to pay a yearly fee for same will please give their names to me.

JNO. M. COE,
Recorder.

Agreed.

"What a marvelous strain that is!" said the musical genius.
"Yes," said the unappreciative one, "I, too, feel it."—Harvard Lampoon.

Too Good.

"He said the woman he was going to marry was an angel and too good for him."
"I guess he was right; after they were married she sent him to the devil!"—Houston Post.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

PRIMARY CANDIDATES

For Mayor.
I am a candidate for mayor, subject to the Democratic Primary, and I respectfully solicit the support of all friends of good government.
CHAS. H. BLISS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, and solicit the votes of all who favor a just and progressive administration of the office.
WALKER INGRAHAM.

For City Marshal.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Marshal of the City of Pensacola, subject to the action of the White Democratic Primary.
FRANK D. SANDERS.

Alderman at Large, Precinct 12.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Alderman at Large, Precinct No. 12, subject to the action of the White Democratic Primary.
LOUIS D. MARZONI.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman at Large, Precinct No. 12, subject to the action of the White Democratic Primary, and respectfully request the support of all voters.
WILL L. MOYER.

For Alderman, Precinct 14.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from Precinct 14, subject to the action of the White Democratic Primary, and request the support of all good citizens.
ALEX. ZELIUS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as Alderman from Precinct 14, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.
SOL CAHN.

GENERAL ELECTION CANDIDATES

For City Physician.
In the event the office of City Physician is made elective, I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for this position.
E. F. BRUCE, M. D.

I herewith announce myself a candidate for the position of City Physician in the general city election to be held June 4th next. If elected to said position I shall endeavor to enforce the sanitary ordinances impartially and fearlessly, as I have attempted to do during my former terms of office.
J. HARRIS PIERPONT, M. D.

I announce myself a candidate for the office of City Physician, in event the office being made elective by the coming legislature, and respectfully solicit the support of all voters.
DR. J. H. BICKERTAFF.

I announce to the voters of Pensacola my candidacy for the position of City Physician.
C. W. DALEMBERT, M. D.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of City Physician and shall appreciate your support.
Respectfully,
S. R. MALLORY KENNEDY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for City Physician, and will appreciate the support of all voters.
PHILIP PEARL.

For City Electrician.
I am a candidate for City Electrician and will appreciate the support of the voters for that position.
W. C. WALKER.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Electrician, and will appreciate the support of my friends, the voters, for that position.
LEN LEBRON.

For Street Superintendent.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position of superintendent of streets, and will appreciate the votes and support of my friends.
JOHN BURNS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Street Superintendent and will appreciate the support of all voters.
W. H. HUTCHINSON.

For Building Inspector.
I hereby announce myself